

October 2006

Lincoln Area Agency on Aging

ActivAge REDUCED PRICE TICKETS for older adults

Call **402-441-7158** for reservations or information.

→ Make your phone-in registrations early by calling at least two weeks in advance!

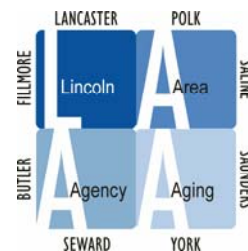
→ Please send payment(s) after making the reservation(s) by phone.

→ Separate payments are required for each event. Please use the "memo" portion of your check to note the performance and date of the tickets you ordered.

→ When sending in payment(s), please enclose a business-sized (9.5" x 4"), self-addressed, stamped envelope (s.a.s.e.) for each event, so your tickets can be mailed to you!

Tickets are non-refundable and can not be exchanged for other performances as per box office rules.

If a ticket has not arrived or has been lost, call 402-441-7158 for assistance.



~ **Lied Center for Performing Arts 17th Season** (* a "restoration fee" is a new charge from the Lied Center that is usually \$2 per ticket; checks payable to "UNL," also Visa & MC; usually section 2, visit www.liedcenter.org or call FingerTips at 323-1764 for recorded information)

October 6, 7:30pm, **The Actor's Gang - "1984,"** \$15.50+2*=\$17.50 for older adults (compare to usual prices of \$37+2, \$31+2, & \$27+2)

October 11, 7pm, **The Passing Zone,** \$12+2*=\$14 (usual price for ANY age) or \$6+2*=\$8 for youth

Imagine two men throwing random objects - sometimes dangerous objects - at one another. One of the most sought-after comedy acts in the nation. As seen on "America's Got Talent."

October 13, 7:30pm, **Bayanihan Philippine Dance Company,** \$17.50+2*=\$19.50 for older adults (compare to usual prices of \$40+2, \$35+2, & \$30+2)

October 14, 7:30pm, **Bo Diddley & Friends,** \$17.50+2*=\$19.50 for older adults (compare to usual prices of \$40+2, \$35+2, & \$30+2)

October 17, 7:30pm, **"Rent,"** contemporary Broadway hit, group price in section 2;

\$49.50+.50*=\$50 (with 20 people of ANY age) (compare to usual prices of \$60+2, \$55+2, & \$50+2)

The theatrical experience that changed Broadway forever. Whether it's your first time or your 100th, it's time to check out Rent, the winner of the Tony Award® for Best Musical and the Pulitzer Prize, Rent is about being young, learning to survive, falling in love, finding your voice and living for today. Rent has made a lasting mark on Broadway with songs that rock and a story that resonates. Now the smash-hit sensation of Rent is coming to you. Visit www.siteforrent.com - information from the 2006-7 Lied brochure

October 25, 7:30pm, **Hubbard Street Dance Chicago,** \$20+.50*=\$20.50 (with 20 people of ANY age) (compare to usual prices of \$40+2, \$32+2, & \$24+2)

October 26, 6pm, Free at 6: **The Learned Project,** FREE for ANY age!

October 27, 7:30pm, **Karrin Allyson & Nebraska Jazz Orchestra,** \$14.50+2*=\$16.50 for older adults (compare to usual prices of \$39+2, \$29+2, & \$22+2)

November 2, 7:30pm, **The English Concert with Andrew Manze, Violin,** \$21 +2*=\$23 for older adults (compare to usual price of \$42+2)

November 3, 7:30pm, **An Evening with Peter Bogdanovich,** \$22.50 +2*=\$24.50 for older adults (compare to usual price of \$45+2)

November 7, 7:30pm, **Miami City Ballet - "Don Quixote,"** \$19.50 +2*=\$21.50 for older adults (compare to usual prices of \$50+2, \$39+2, & \$32+2)

November 9, 7pm, E.N. Thompson Forum on World Issues: **George McGovern,** FREE for ANY age!

November 11, 7:30pm, **Moscow State Symphony Orchestra,** \$22.50 +2*=\$24.50 for older adults (compare to usual prices of \$50+2, \$45+2, & \$40+2)

November 13, 6pm, Free at 6: **The String Beans,** FREE for ANY age!

November 15, 7:30pm, **The Good Humor Men with Pat Hazell,** \$20+.50*=\$20.50 (with 20 people of ANY age) (compare to usual prices of \$32+2, \$27+2, & \$22+2)

November 21, 7:30pm, **"I Can't Stop Loving You,"** spectacular musical event, the Ray Charles musical tribute; group price in section 2, \$49.50+.50*=\$50 (with 20 people of ANY age) (only 20 tickets are available in section 2; further seating (as available) will be in section 3 balcony) (compare to usual prices of \$60+2, \$55+2, & \$50+2)

Direct from London's West End, I Can't Stop Loving You is the smash-hit show that rocks the house with the legendary music of Ray Charles. It's a non-stop party where the hits keep coming from an on-stage orchestra

and dazzling company of singers and dancers, including "Georgia," "Hit the Road Jack," "America the Beautiful," "I Can't Stop Loving You" and many more. (Not endorsed, sponsored or affiliated with the Ray Charles Estate). Visit www.geniusofray.com - information from the 2006-7 Lied brochure

December 2, 2pm, **"CATS,"** theatrical classic, group price in section 2, \$46.80+.50*=\$47.30 (with 20 people of ANY age) (compare to usual prices of \$57+2, \$52+2, & \$47+2)

There's no better way to introduce your family to the wonders of live theater than with the magic, the mystery, the memory of CATS. What began as a musical about cats after Andrew Lloyd Webber picked up a book of poems in an airport bookshop has become one of the longest running shows in Broadway's history. Winner of seven Tony Awards® including Best Musical, Cats features 20 of Andrew Lloyd Webber's timeless melodies, including the hit song "Memory." Visit www.reallyuseful.com/rug/show.htm - information from the 2006-7 Lied brochure

December 21, 7:30pm, **Mariachi Sol de Mexico de Jose Hernandez**, \$15 +2*=\$17 for older adults (compare to usual prices of \$39+2, \$30+2, & \$12+2)

January 16, 2007, 7:30pm, **Hamburg Symphony Orchestra with Robert McDuffee, Violin**, \$22.50 +2*=\$24.50 for older adults (compare to usual prices of \$50+2, \$45+2, & \$40+2)

January 25, 2007, 7:30pm, **Moscow Festival Ballet - "Cinderella,"** \$17 +2*=\$19 for older adults (compare to usual prices of \$39+2, \$34+2, & \$29+2)

January 31, 2007, 2pm, **"STOMP,"** a pre-show event is being planned; group price in section 2, \$36+.50*=\$36.50 (with 20 people of ANY age) (compare to usual prices of \$45+2, \$40+2, & \$35+2)

STOMP is explosive, provocative, sophisticated, sexy and appeals to audiences of all ages. The international percussion sensation has garnered an armful of awards and rave reviews and has appeared on numerous national television shows. The eight-member troupe uses everything but conventional percussion instruments — matchboxes, brooms, garbage cans, hubcaps — to fill the stage with magnificent rhythms. As USA Today says, "STOMP finds beautiful noises in the strangest places." STOMP. See what all the noise is about. Visit www.stomponline.com - information from the 2006-7 Lied brochure

February 3, 2007, 7:30pm, **Maria Schneider Orchestra**, \$20+.50*=\$20.50 (with 20 people of ANY age) (compare to usual prices of \$39+2, \$29+2, & \$22+2)

February 7, 2007, 7:30pm, **Hungarian State Folk Ensemble**, \$14.50 +2*=\$16.50 for older adults (compare to usual prices of \$36+2, \$29+2, & \$24+2)

February 8, 2007, 7pm, E.N. Thompson Forum on World Issues: **Clyde Prestowitz**, FREE for ANY age!

February 10, 2007, 2pm, **"The Producers,"** musical comedy, group price in section 2, \$45+.50*=\$45.50 (with 20 people of ANY age) (compare to usual prices of \$55+2, \$50+2, & \$45+2)

Everything you've heard is true! "Mel Brooks has put the comedy back into musical comedy. The Producers is the funniest, most fearlessly irreverent thing ever seen on stage!" (USA Today) And now you can experience the biggest Tony Award® winner in Broadway history when it comes to Lincoln. Visit www.producersonbroadway.com - information from the 2006-7 Lied brochure

February 16, 2007, 7pm, **Roald Dahl's "Willy Wonka,"** \$12+2*=\$14 (usual price for ANY age) or \$6+2*=\$8 for youth

February 23, 2007, 6pm, Free at 6: **Ashanti African Roots Band**, FREE for ANY age!

March 3, 2007, 2pm, **"Man of La Mancha,"** group price in section 2, \$36+.50*=\$36.50 (with 20 people of ANY age) (compare to usual prices of \$45+2, \$40+2, & \$35+2)

One of the all-time greats of American stage history! This musical adaptation is based on Miguel de Cervantes' literary masterpiece, "Don Quixote." After its premiere on Broadway in 1965, the musical won audiences' hearts and all the major theatre awards, including five Tony Awards®. This timeless musical features an incomparable score including "Man of La Mancha (I, Don Quixote)," "I Really Like Him" and "The Impossible Dream (The Quest)." The costumes, dancing and music will leave you breathless. The story will leave you speechless. - information from the 2006-7 Lied brochure

March 7, 2007, 7:30pm, **Doc Severinsen & His Big Band**, \$18.50 +2*=\$20.50 for older adults (compare to usual prices of \$47+2, \$37+2, & \$32+2)

March 8, 2007, 7pm, **Riders in the Sky**, \$12+2*=\$14 (usual price for ANY age) or \$6+2*=\$8 for youth

March 15, 2007, 6pm, Free at 6: **Paddywhack**, FREE for ANY age!

March 21, 2007, 7:30pm, **Bulgarian State Opera - "Turandot,"** \$20.50+2=\$22.50 for older adults (compare to usual prices of \$49+2, \$41+2, & \$36+2)

March 22, 2007, 7pm, E.N. Thompson Forum on World Issues: **Sherwin Nuland on "Faith, Philosophy and Medicine: Reflections on Maimonides,"** FREE for ANY age!

March 24, 2007, 7:30pm, **Soweto Gospel Choir**, \$20+.50*=\$20.50 (with 20 people of ANY age) (compare to usual prices of \$37+2, \$32+2, & \$22+2)

March 29, 2007, 7:30pm, **"All Shook Up,"** the Nebraska premiere of the Elvis Presley musical; group price in section 2, \$46.80+.50*=\$47.30 (with 20 people of ANY age) (compare to usual prices of \$57+2,

\$52+2, & \$47+2)

Romance. Rebellion. Rock 'n' Roll. Combining all-time favorite Elvis Presley songs with a surefire rock 'n' roll story, All Shook Up tells the romantic tale of how a young girl's dream comes true when a guitar-playin' roustabout rides into a square state and turns the town upside down with his hip-swivelin', lip-curlin' and sexy song singin'. This clever, buoyant and energetic musical features such classics as "Heartbreak Hotel," "Burning Love" and "Jailhouse Rock." It's a well-tuned hot-rod musical that took Broadway by storm and guarantees to have you jumpin' out of your blue suede shoes. "The best retro rock show since Grease." NBC-TV. Visit www.allshookup.com - information from the 2006-7 Lied brochure

April 6, 2007, 7:30pm, **John Pizzarelli**, \$14 +2*=\$16 for older adults (compare to usual prices of \$38+2, \$28+2, & \$24+2)

April 17, 2007, 7:30pm, **Omaha Symphony Orchestra**, \$18.50 +2*=\$20.50 for older adults (compare to usual prices of \$45+2, \$37+2, & \$32+2)

April 21, 2007, 2pm, Elton John and Tim Rice's **"AIDA,"** musical love story, group price in section 2, \$38.70+.50*=\$39.20 (with 20 people of ANY age) (compare to usual prices of \$48+2, \$43+2, & \$38+2) Winner of four 2000 Tony Awards®, AIDA is a musical bursting with contemporary energy that tells of the love triangle between Aida, a nubian princess stolen from her country; Amneris, an Egyptian princess; and Radames, the soldier they both love. AIDA is an epic and classic tale of love, loyalty, betrayal and courage, with an exhilarating Tony® and Grammy® Award-winning score by Elton John and Tim Rice, their first collaboration since writing the music for The Lion King. Time Magazine proclaims AIDA "A big, bright show with luscious Elton John melodies." Visit www.disney.go.com/disneytheatrical/aida - information from the 2006-7 Lied brochure

April 28, 2007, 7:30pm, **Shen Wei Dance**, \$15.50 +2*=\$17.50 for older adults (compare to usual prices of \$36+2, \$31+2, & \$26+2)

Think Chinese opera meets dance meets painting meets sculpture and theater. This New York-based avant-garde company will give you a new idea of what dance in the 21st century can look like. - from the Omaha World Herald, September 10, 2006, page 4AT

May 6, 2007, 6pm, Free at 6: **Lion Dancers and Kokyo Taiko Drummers**, FREE for ANY age!

~ **Lincoln's Symphony Orchestra 80th Season** (tickets are usually \$35, reduced price tickets for older adults will be \$20; BRING THE GRANDKIDS - student/youth tickets are just \$5 (regular student/youth price is \$21); checks payable to "LSO," also Visa & MC; visit www.lincolnsymphony.com)

October 6, 7:30pm, **"Autumn Serenade,"** Kimball Recital Hall, \$20

October 29, 2pm, **"Magic & Fantasy,"** O'Donnell Auditorium, \$20

December 10, 2pm, **"Home for the Holidays,"** Kimball Recital Hall, \$20

February 2, 7:30pm, **"Russian Heartstrings,"** Kimball Recital Hall, \$20

March 10, 7:30pm, **"Solos & Celebration,"** Kimball Recital Hall, \$20

April 15, 2pm, **"Madcap, Music & Mayhem,"** O'Donnell Auditorium, \$20

May 12, 7:30pm, **"Mahler's Resurrection Symphony,"** Lied Center, \$20

~ **Lincoln Community Playhouse 61st Season** (prefer to have a group of at least 10 to offer these prices, checks payable to "LCP," also credit cards (need zip code for billing address of the credit card used); visit www.lincolnplayhouse.com)

October 8, 2pm; **"Kids Say the Darndest Things,"** musical based on Art Linkletter's television show & book, \$5

October 29, 2pm, and November 4, 7:30pm, **"Getting Away with Murder,"** \$10

December 1, 7pm; **"Lyp-Schtick!,"** (12/1, 7pm is the family performance), \$8

December 10, 2pm; **"You're a Good Man, Charlie Brown,"** musical, \$10

January 28, 2007, 2pm; **"A Year With Frog and Toad,"** musical, \$5

March 8, 2007, 7:30pm; & March 11, 2007, 2pm; **"The Full Monty,"** musical, \$15

April 8, 2007, 2pm; and April 14, 2007, 7:30pm; **"Enchanted April,"** \$10

May 6, 2007, 2pm; **"James and the Giant Peach,"** \$5

June 7, 2007, 7:30pm; **"Soda Pop,"** musical presented by The Crooked Codpiece Company, \$8

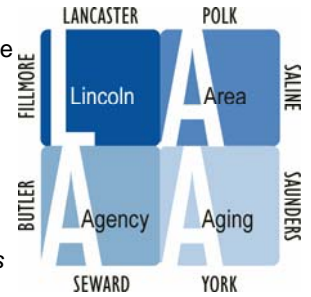
June 24, 2007, 2pm; & June 30, 2007, 7:30pm; **"The Wiz,"** musical, \$15

~ **LAAA Volunteer Programs Travelogue Film Series 2006/2007** (Co-sponsored with Executive Travel. Shows are Tuesdays, 2 & 8 pm, and Wednesdays, 2 & 6 pm; at Edgewood Theatre near 56th & Hwy. 2. Tickets available at door, \$6 for those 55+ or \$7 for those under 55, or call 402-441-7026 about season tickets or group rates. Season tickets are \$32 and are on sale until September 30.)

October 10-11 - **"Alaska,"** presented by Dale Johnson, \$6 at the door

November 14-15 - **"Hawaii - the Pacific Paradise,"** presented by John Wilson, \$6 at the door

February 21-22, 2007 - **"Mexico,"** presented by Fran Reidelberger, \$6 at the door
 March 13-14, 2007 - **"Vietnam - a Land of Surprises,"** presented by Buddy Hatton, \$6 at the door
 April 10-11, 2007 - **"Prague to Paris,"** presented by Clint Denn, \$6 at the door



~ **Lincoln Friends of Chamber Music** (*limited seating - we will check for availability; tickets are usually \$30, reduced price tickets for older adults will be \$20; BRING THE GRANDKIDS - student/youth tickets are just \$5; checks payable to "LFCM," all performances are in the Sheldon Memorial Art Gallery Auditorium at 12th & "R," pre-concert lecture is at 7:30pm, concert is at 8pm; visit www.lfcm.org*)

October 14, 7:30pm, **Euclid String Quartet**, Sheldon, \$20

November 17, 7:30pm, **Chiara String Quartet with Hakan Rosengren, clarinet**, Sheldon, \$20

February 17, 2007, 7:30pm, **Tempesta di Mare**, Sheldon, \$20

March 23, 2007, 7:30pm, **Vilnius String Quartet**, Sheldon, \$20

April 27, 2007, 7:30pm, **Trio con Brio Copenhagen**, Sheldon, \$20

~ **Lincoln Continentals** (*male barbershop music, checks payable to "Lincoln Continentals," visit www.lincolncontinentals.org*)

December 10, time tba, **Holiday Concert**, Trinity United Methodist Church, 1345 South 16th Street, FREE for any age! (donations welcomed, no tickets needed)

April 28, 2007, 2:30pm, **Spring Concert**, celebrate the Continentals' 60th Anniversary, special guests are "3 Men & a Melody," Kimball Recital Hall, \$13 (with a group of 10, tickets will be \$11)

~ **UNL Theatre/Nebraska Repertory Theatre** (*checks payable to "UNL," also Visa & MC; visit www.unl.edu/TheatreArts and www.unl.edu/rep*)

~ **Meadowlark Music Festival 2007** (*checks payable to "MMF," also Visa & MC; TICKETS WILL BE AVAILABLE AT THE EVENT BOX OFFICE or "at the door;" visit www.meadowlarkmusicfestival.com*)

More Lincoln Area Agency on Aging's ActivAge information available in:

~ Prime Time supplement and Neighborhood Extra in the Lincoln Journal Star

~ City of Lincoln website at www.lincoln.ne.gov, enter keyword: aging, choose "Activities & Classes" from the sidebar on the left, click on "Tickets" or "Tours" or "Events" (updated at the beginning of each month; need Adobe Acrobat Reader)

~ Seniors Foundation website at www.seniorsfoundation.gov

~ **"Living Well,"** the Lincoln Area Agency on Aging's magazine published in January, April, July, and October; call 402-441-7022 to be on the mailing list (or read it on the City of Lincoln website at www.lincoln.ne.gov, enter keyword: aging, click on "Living Well Magazine," click on the desired issue)

AFTER MAKING PHONE-IN RESERVATIONS, MAIL PAYMENT(S) TO:

Lincoln Area Agency on Aging

Attn: **ActivAge TICKETS**

1005 "O" Street

Lincoln, NE 68508-3628

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TO: Those in the **ActivAge**
 and their families, friends, neighbors, and co-workers too!

From: Lincoln Area Agency on Aging (LAAA)
 ActivAge Tickets, Tours, & Events
 1005 "O" Street, Lincoln, NE 68508-3628
 402-441-7158
www.lincoln.ne.gov, keyword: aging

Re: **THINGS TO DO in Lincoln for FREE!**

For more events:

Check out the Lincoln Arts Council's comprehensive calendar at www.artscene.org.

Watch Cable Channel 10.

Read the Lincoln Journal Star: Sunday-News To You; Saturday-Neighborhood Extra; varies-Prime Time, daily-Calendar.

Date: October 1, 2006

FARMERS' MARKETS purchase fresh, locally grown produce while enjoying free entertainment and our community:

Now-Oct. 29 **Old Cheney Road Farmers' Market:** Sundays, May through October 29, 10am-2pm, 5500 Old Cheney Road. 613-0088

Now-Oct. 14 **Historic Haymarket Farmers' Market:** Saturdays, May through October 14, 8am-12noon, 7th Street between "P" & "Q." www.historichaymarket.com, 435-7496, or 475-7502

MORE! For a complete guide to farmers' markets and producers in Nebraska, contact the Nebraska State Department of Agriculture, Agriculture Promotion/Development Division at www.agr.ne.gov/pub/apd/produce or 800-422-6692

- October **One Book-One Lincoln:** Join Lincolnites to read and discuss "*The Devil in the White City: Murder, Magic, and Madness at the Fair that Changed America*" by Erik Larson. More information in a resource guide, from the Lincoln Journal Star, and from the Lincoln City Libraries.
- October 1 **All-British Car Show:** Austin-Healeys, Triumphs, MGs, Jaguars, Rileys, Mini-Coopers, and more are expected. Both admission and car registration are free. 10am-3pm, Lincoln Public Schools Administration Building parking lot, 61st & "O" Streets. www.flatwater.org or 464-3733
- October 1 **"Requiem for the Home Place:"** Exhibit of black & white photographs by Michael Farrell depicting southeast Nebraska's vanishing farmsteads. Great Plains Art Museum, 1155 "Q" Street. Sunday, 1:30-5pm; closes on 10/1. www.unl.edu/plains or 472-6220
- Oct. 1-8 **Fall Parade of Homes:** See the newest trends in home building. Sunday, 1-6pm; weekdays, 6-8pm, Saturday, 1-6pm. Preview the tour at www.ParadeOnlineTour.com
- Oct. 1-29 **Sunday Gallery Talks: "Let's Talk Art:"** Norman Geske, Sheldon's Director Emeritus, continues his popular series in the permanent collection galleries. 2-3pm, Sundays: October 1, 8, 15, 22, & 29. Sheldon Art Gallery, 12th & "R" Streets, UNL. www.sheldon.unl.edu or 472-2461
- October 2-6 **Crimethink: The "1984" Symposium:** The Lied Center hosts this symposium to celebrate our freedom and right to question, discuss, and disagree. Covers topics such as civil liberties, human rights, war, and media. Includes guest speakers, student presentations, and artwork displays. (Tickets for "1984" for older adults are available for purchase by calling 441-7158; for other ages, call the Lied Box Office at 472-4747.) www.crimethinksymposium.com
- October 3 **Lincoln Community Forum: Church & State: How Can Religion & Politics Work Together?:** Moderated/facilitated by Chris Blake. 7pm, St. Mark's On The Campus, 1309 "R" Street. 432-5235
- October 6 **First Friday Noon Concert: John Friesen, Bedient organ:** Church Sanctuary, 12:10pm, St. Paul United Methodist Church, 1144 "M" Street. Donations welcomed. www.saintpaulumc.org or 477-6951
- October 6 **First Friday Gallery Walks:** At the downtown Lincoln art galleries including the Milestone Gallery in the Downtown ActivAge Center. The evening of the first Friday of every month. See "Galleries" for a list of openings in section "K" of the Sunday Lincoln Journal Star.
- October 6-7 **Nebraska Book Festival: "Beyond Borders: Nebraska and the World:"** Discussion sessions, workshops, demonstrations, film screenings, and activities for the entire family. The Stories of Home sculpture by artist Santiago Cal will be exhibited. Nebraska Wesleyan Campus. www.nebraskabookfestival.org or 471-4006
- October 9 **Men's Choral Festival Concert:** 7pm, Kimball Recital Hall
- October 9-27 **2006 Celebration of Youth XIII:** Features creative and unique work by young Nebraska 4-Hers, ages 9 to 19. The items are juried from the Clothing, Home Environment, and Quilt Quest 4-H exhibits at the 2006 Nebraska State Fair. Youth are in attendance and present artist's talks about their exhibits at the Sunday, **October 15th** opening. Robert Hillestad Textiles Gallery, usual hours are Monday-Friday, 9am-4pm. Home Economics Building, 2nd floor, 35th & Holdrege, UNL East Campus. www.textilegallery.unl.edu or 472-2911
- October 12 **Hands on Technology: Explore the World Wide Web:** Learn about the latest technology! 9-10:30am, NET Building, 1800 North 33rd Street. Registration required by calling 441-7158.

- October 14 **Household Hazardous Waste Collection:** Only for residents of Lincoln and Lancaster County. 9am-3pm, State Fair Park 4-H Youth Complex. 441-8040
- October 15 **One Book-One Lincoln: Profiling:** Gary Plank, of the Nebraska State Patrol, discusses this topic at 2pm, at the Gere Branch Library, 2400 South 56th Street.
- October 15 **Lincoln Municipal Band: "Russian Impressions:"** 3pm, O'Donnell Auditorium, Wesleyan University, 50th & Huntington. www.artsincorporated.org/lmb or 477-7899
- October 18 **"Childhood Treasures: Quilts Made for and by Children:"** Talk by Mary Ghormley, Nebraska quilter and collector. Exhibit of doll quilts from the Mary Ghormley Collection, IQSC. Reception follows lecture. 3:30-4:30pm, Great Plains Art Museum, 1155 "Q" Street. www.unl.edu/plains or 472-3082, www.quiltstudy.org or 472-6549
- October 24 **Willie Cole Panel Discussion:** 5-6:30pm, Sheldon Art Gallery.
- October 26 **Free at 6: The Learned Project:** 6pm, Lied Center. www.liedcenter.org or 472-4747
- October 28 **Make a Difference Day:** Lend your hand in service! www.usaweekend.com/diffday
- October 28 **The Clean Part Reading Monthly Series:** 7-9pm, Auditorium, Sheldon Art Gallery, www.sheldon.unl.edu or 472-2461
- October 29 **One Book-One Lincoln: Influence of Chicago Architects:** Ed Zimmer, the city's historic preservationist, discusses this topic at 2pm, at the Eisley Branch Library, 1530 Superior Street.
- October 29 **University Singers:** 7:30pm, Westminster Presbyterian Church, 2110 Sheridan Boulevard.
- Now-12/7 **UNL All-Collegiate Chorus:** Singers of all backgrounds and ages in the Lincoln community are invited to join UNL students, faculty, staff, and alumni. No auditions; some choral experience appreciated. Rehearsals will be Thursday evenings, 8/24 to 12/7, 7-9:30pm, Westbrook Music Building, Room #130, 11th & "R." Performances will be at a September 11th memorial concert and the annual Choral Garland concerts in December. Directed by Dr. Therees Tkach Hibbard (472-0378 or thibbard2@unl.edu) and Sean Burton (472-6085 or sean@bigred.unl.edu). www.unl.edu/music
- Now -12/17 **Sheldon Opening: "Anxious Objects: Willie Coles' Favorite Brands:"** The New Jersey artist straddles humor and hopelessness in his sculptures made of discarded mass-produced goods. Cole makes faces out of old high-heeled shoes, patterns out of old irons and portraits out of well-worn hair-dryers. The 51-year-old artist brings his edgy comment on society to Nebraska. Show runs through **December 17**. Sheldon Art Gallery. www.sheldon.unl.edu or 472-2461
- Now-3/2/07 **"Stories of Home" Public Art Project:** Innovative visual arts project showcasing sculptures that tell the stories of 12 Lincoln families. Art will be displayed in neighborhood centers, schools, churches, libraries, public buildings, homes, and businesses. The Lincoln Arts Council challenges you to think about how your own history contributes to our city's heritage of diverse citizenry. **October 7-November 2**, group show at Hispanic Community/Lincoln Asian Community Center, 2615 "O." December 16-28, a display at the Downtown ActivAge Center, 1005 "O" Street. January 26-March 2, 2007, group show at Lincoln North Star High School, 5801 North 33rd Street. Auction is March 2, 2007. See "Galleries" in section "K" of the Sunday Lincoln Journal Star. www.artscene.org or 434-2787
- November 1 **Student Chamber Music:** 7:30pm, Westbrook Recital Hall, #119, UNL City Campus.
- November 2 **Hands on Technology: Navigate through Digital Cable Channels:** Learn about the latest technology! 9-10:30am, NET Building, 1800 North 33rd Street. Registration required by calling 441-7158.
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- November 9 **E.N. Thompson Forum on World Issues: George McGovern:** 7pm, Lied Center. www.liedcenter.org or 472-4747
- November 11 **Veterans' Day Observance:** Presentation of colors, speaker, patriotic songs, bag pipe medley, TAPS, ringing of the Liberty Bell. 11am, Veterans' Memorial Garden, Antelope Park. www.lincoln.ne.gov, keyword: veteran or 441-7847
- November 12 **Sunday Gallery Talks:** Director Jan Driesbach's topic is "American Identities in Printmaking. Sheldon Art Gallery, 12th & "R" Streets, UNL. www.sheldon.unl.edu or 472-2461
- November 13 **Free at 6: The String Beans:** 6pm, Lied Center. www.liedcenter.org or 472-4747

- November 15 **"Mari Sandoz and the Making of a Plains Historian: Life at the Raucous and Eccentric University of Nebraska and Nebraska State Historical Society, 1923-1933:"** Talk by John R. Wunder. Reception at 3pm. 3:30-4:30pm, Great Plains Art Museum, 1155 "Q" Street. www.unl.edu/plains or 472-3082
- Nov.24-12/4 **22nd Annual Star City Holiday Festival - "MAKING SPIRITS BRIGHT:"** Lincoln sparkles with many activities. www.updowntowners.org or 434-6902
- Nov. 24-12/22 **Holidays in the Haymarket:** Stroll through the Historic Haymarket to the sights and sounds of Christmas including hundreds of luminaries. Friday evenings after Thanksgiving until before Christmas. Haymarket, 7th & "P" Streets. www.downtownlincoln.org or 435-7496
- November 29 **Student Chamber Music:** 7:30pm, Westbrook Recital Hall, #119, UNL City Campus.
- December 1 **First Friday Noon Concert: "The Nutcracker Suite" by Tchaikovsky - John Friesen, organ:** Church Sanctuary, 12:10pm, St. Paul United Methodist Church, 1144 "M" Street. Donations welcomed. www.saintpaulumc.org or 477-6951
- December 1 **First Friday Gallery Walks:** At the downtown Lincoln art galleries including the Milestone Gallery in the Downtown ActivAge Center. The evening of the first Friday of every month. See "Galleries" for a list of openings in section "K" of the Sunday Lincoln Journal Star.
- December 1 **Nebraska Art Association Holiday Party:** Entertainment by the UNL School of Music Chamber Singers. 5pm, Sheldon Art Gallery.
- December 2 **Star City Holiday Parade - "MAKING SPIRITS BRIGHT:"** During the largest parade in the five state area, the streets of downtown Lincoln are transformed as the Star City Holiday parade rolls through. Anticipate floats, giant balloons, bands, and a special appearance by Santa and Mrs. Claus. www.downtownlincoln.org, www.starcityholidayfestival.org, or 474-6900
- December 7 **Hands on Technology: DVR: Makes TV Recording Easy:** Learn about the latest technology! 9-10:30am, NET Building, 1800 North 33rd Street. Registration required by calling 441-7158.
- December 7 **Pearl Harbor Remembrance Day Observation:** Speaker, TAPS, ringing of the Liberty Bell. Possible indoor display of Pearl Harbor memorabilia. 11:55am, Veterans' Memorial Garden, Antelope Park. www.lincoln.ne.gov, keyword: veteran or 441-7847
- December 8 **Musical Theatre Showcase:** 7:30pm, Westbrook Recital Hall, #119, UNL City Campus.
- December 10 **Lincoln Continentals' Holiday Concert:** Barbershop harmonies at Trinity United Methodist Church, 1345 South 16th Street. Donations welcomed. www.lincolncontinentals.org
- Jan. 5, '07 **First Friday Noon Concert:** Church Sanctuary, 12:10pm, St. Paul United Methodist Church, 1144 "M" Street. Donations welcomed. www.saintpaulumc.org or 477-6951
- Jan. 5-8, '07 **Fine Art of Experience:** Juried art show features paintings, drawings, fiber art, and weavings produced by professional and high quality amateur older adult artists. Loft at the Mill, 800 "P" Street, 3rd floor, in Lincoln's Haymarket. Sponsored by LAAA. 441-7158
- Jan. 14, '07 **Sunday Gallery Talks:** "American Identities in the Permanent Collection" by Patrick Jones, an assistant professor in Ethnic Studies. Sheldon Art Gallery, 12th & "R" Streets, UNL. www.sheldon.unl.edu or 472-2461
- Febr. 2, '07 **First Friday Noon Concert:** Church Sanctuary, 12:10pm, St. Paul United Methodist Church, 1144 "M" Street. Donations welcomed. www.saintpaulumc.org or 477-6951
- Febr. 8, '07 **E.N. Thompson Forum on World Issues: Clyde Prestowitz:** 7pm, Lied Center. www.liedcenter.org or 472-4747
- Feb. 23, '07 **Free at 6: Ashanti African Roots Band:** 6pm, Lied Center. www.liedcenter.org or 472-4747
- March 2, '07 **First Friday Noon Concert:** Church Sanctuary, 12:10pm, St. Paul United Methodist Church, 1144 "M" Street. Donations welcomed. www.saintpaulumc.org or 477-6951
- March 15, '07 **Free at 6: Paddywhack:** 6pm, Lied Center. www.liedcenter.org or 472-4747
- March 22, '07 **E.N. Thompson Forum on World Issues: Sherwin Nuland - "Faith, Philosophy and Medicine: Reflections on Maimonides:"** 7pm, Lied Center. www.liedcenter.org or 472-4747
- April 13, '07 **First Friday Noon Concert:** Church Sanctuary, 12:10pm, St. Paul United Methodist Church, 1144 "M" Street. Donations welcomed. www.saintpaulumc.org or 477-6951
- April 15, '07 **Holocaust Commemorative Event:** Nebraska State Capitol building.

- May 6, '07 **Free at 6: Lion Dancers & Kokyo Taiko Drummers:** 6pm, Lied Center. www.liedcenter.org or 472-4747
- May tba, '07 **Free Fishing & Park Entry Day:** Visit and fish at any Nebraska State Park or State Recreation Area free. No park entry or fishing permits required! www.outdoornebraska.org
- May-Sept., '07 **Downtown Performance Series:** Enjoy live music at these free concerts at the Lincoln Community Foundation Garden. Wednesdays, 12noon-1pm, May through September, 1415 "N" Street. www.downtownlincoln.org, www.updowntowners.org, or 474-6900
- May-Oct., '07 **Old Cheney Road Farmers' Market:** Purchase fresh, locally grown produce while enjoying free entertainment and our community. Sundays, May through October, 10am-2pm, 5500 Old Cheney Road. 613-0088
- May-Oct., '07 **Historic Haymarket Farmers' Market:** Purchase fresh, locally grown produce while enjoying free entertainment and our community. Saturdays, May through October, 8am-12noon, 7th Street between "P" & "Q." www.historichaymarket.com, 435-7496, or 475-7502
- May-Sept., '07 **Piedmont Farmers' Market:** Purchase fresh, locally grown produce while enjoying free entertainment and our community. Saturdays, May through September, 8am-12noon, near South Cotner and "A" Streets. 489-1720
- MORE! *For a complete guide to farmers' markets and producers in Nebraska, contact the Nebraska State Department of Agriculture, Agriculture Promotion/Development Division at www.agr.ne.gov/pub/apd/produce or 800-422-6692*
- June 9, '07 **LifeLong LIVING Festival:** at Abbott Sports Complex, 7600 North 70th Street. Sponsored by LAAA. 441-7158
- June tba '07 **Jazz in June:** Enjoy free jazz concerts in the Sheldon Sculpture Garden, 12th & "R" Streets, UNL. Also, from 5-9pm, visit the Jazz in June Market for produce, baked goods, and ice cream. Tuesdays in June. www.downtownlincoln.org or 472-2461
- June-Aug., '07 **"That's Entertainment" Concert Series:** Fridays, Saturdays, and Sundays, 7-8pm, John Shildneck Bandshell in Antelope Park. 441-7877
- July 2-8/31/07 **Making Do or Doing Without: Quilts of the Great Depression:** Exhibit can be viewed Monday-Friday, 9am-4pm. Robert Hillestad Textiles Gallery, Home Economics Building, 2nd floor, 35th & Holdrege, UNL East Campus. www.textilegallery.unl.edu, www.quiltstudy.org or 472-6549
- July 4, '07 **Fireworks Display**
- July-Aug., '07 **Lincoln Municipal Band Summer Series:** A tradition since 1911, these free concerts in July and August feature the Lincoln Municipal Band in traditional concert format. Performances are held Sunday evenings at 7pm at the John Shildneck Memorial Bandshell in Antelope Park. www.artsincorporated.org or 477-7899
- July-Aug., '07 **Movies on the Green:** Free outdoor movies every Thursday in July and August! The movies begin at sundown on the lawn of Kimball Recital Hall, UNL. www.theross.org or 472-5353
- Aug. tba '07 **Lancaster County Fair:** Free fair with lots of exhibits, contests, and events. Lancaster Event Center, 84th & Havelock. www.lancastereventcenter.com or 441-6545
- Aug. tba '07 **Kiwanis' Day at Lincoln Children's Zoo:** Free admission for older adults and kids. 8am-5pm, 1222 South 27th Street, at about "B" Street. www.lincolnzoo.org or 475-6741
- On-going **American Historical Society of Germans from Russia:** International museum and research library dedicated to preservation of the culture and history of the Germans who emigrated to Russia, then to the Americas. Tours Monday-Friday at 2pm. Monday-Friday, 9am-4pm; Saturday, by appointment. 631 "D" Street. www.ahsgr.org or 474-3363
- On-going **American West begins:** The intersection of 13th & "O" Streets showcases a large brick star. Legend has it this is the exact spot where the American West begins!
- On-going **Antelope Park Rose Garden:** A garden to honor the National Flower. Currently under renovation. South 27th & Capitol Parkway. www.lincoln.ne.gov, keyword: parks or 441-7895
- On-going **Beadle Center:** Nationally recognized life science research center. See state-of-the-art research facilities and a greenhouse with exotic plants. Monday-Friday, 8am-5pm. Tours by appointment. www.bbc.unl.edu or 472-5691
- On-going **BMX Dirt Bike Track:** South of Oak Lake at 1st & Charleston. www.lincoln.ne.gov, keyword: parks or 441-7847
- On-going **Cross Country Skiing:** Check out Wilderness Park and Pioneers Park. 7am-sunset.

- www.lincoln.ne.gov, keyword: parks or 441-7895
- On-going **Dog Runs:** Exercise your canine companion at Holmes Park, 70th & Normal, or Oak Lake Park, 1st & Cornhusker Highway. www.lincoln.ne.gov, keyword: parks or 441-7895
- On-going **Downtown Lincoln Walking Tour:** For more than a century, Downtown has been the heart of the City and offers a one-of-a-kind blend of history, architecture, culture, and green spaces. See I.M. Pei's Wells Fargo Plaza at 13th & "O," Philip Johnson's Sheldon Memorial Art Gallery on the UNL City Campus, the Arts Corridor along 12th Street, the Torn Notebook sculpture by Claes Oldenburg and Coosje van Bruggen at 12th & "Q," Nebraska's State Capitol at 16th & "J," Thomas P. Kennard House and Ferguson Mansion on "H" between 16th & 17th, Rock Island Railroad Station at 20th & "O," U.S. Post Office & Courthouse at 930 "O," the Haymarket area, UNL campus. www.downtownlincoln.org or 434-6900
- On-going **Eisentrager-Howard Art Gallery:** Showcases student and professional artists. During the academic year, it is the place to see innovative and often rule-breaking BFA and MFA student shows. Monday-Thursday, 12-4pm. First floor, 114 Richards Hall, UNL. www.unl.edu
- On-going **Equestrian Trails:** Ride at Pioneers Park and in Wilderness Park. www.lincoln.ne.gov, keyword: parks or 441-7895
- On-going **Fairview, the Bryan Museum:** Historic turn-of-the-century (1902) residence of "The Great Commoner" William Jennings Bryan, famous Nebraska statesman, orator, and Democratic presidential candidate in 1896, 1900, and 1908. Tuesday-Friday, 1-4pm. Tours by appointment. BryanLGH Medical Center, 49th & Sumner Streets. www.bryanlgh.org or 481-8303
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- On-going **Frank H. Woods Telephone Pioneer Museum:** Displays the history of the telephone industry. Sundays, 1-4pm or by appointment. Donations encouraged. 2047 "M" Street. www.4w.com/fhw-pioneers, www.woodstelephonepioneers.org/museum, or 436-4640
- On-going **Gladys Lux Historical Gallery at Lux Center for the Arts:** Home to 1,600+ dolls, including the 1,000 that make up the Lux doll collection and Terry Lee dolls, originally manufactured in Lincoln. Sewing artifacts, paperweights, 450+ historical master prints. Tuesday-Friday, 11am-5pm; first Friday, 11am-7pm; Saturday, 10am-5pm. 2601 North 48th Street. www.luxcenter.org or 466-8692
- On-going **Great Plains Art Museum:** Features Great Plains and Western Art including works by Frederic S. Remington, Charles M. Russell, Albert Bierstadt, Karl Bodmer. Sunday, 1:30-5pm; Tuesday-Saturday, 10am-5pm. Hewitt Place, 1155 "Q" Street. www.unl.edu/plains or 472-6220
- On-going **Great Plains Trails Network:** Lincoln's extensive trail system has been recognized as some of the best in the nation! Enjoy more than 98 miles of trails to walk, jog, run, bicycle, roller blade, or hike for transportation, recreation, and physical fitness. Please keep to the right while on the trails. www.gptn.org or www.lincoln.ne.gov, keyword: parks
- On-going **Hazel Abel Park:** Quaint Renaissance-style park with a ornate gazebo, a fountain, and cushioned play space. 18th & "E" Streets. www.lincoln.ne.gov, keyword: parks or 441-7847
- On-going **Holmes Park & Lake:** The 555-acre park has a large man-made fishing lake with angler access to deep water, 18-hole golf course (cost), picnic facilities, playgrounds, and the Hyde Memorial Observatory. 70th & Normal Boulevard. www.lincoln.ne.gov, keyword: parks or 441-7847
- On-going **Hyde Memorial Observatory:** Telescope viewing when weather permits. Astronomy programs on Saturday evenings. Saturday nights: March-October, sundown-11pm; November-February, 7-10pm; or by appointment. Holmes Park, 3701 South 70th Street. Use south entrance to park. For special arrangements, call 441-7895. www.hydeobservatory.info or 441-7094
- On-going **Ice skating:** Outdoor rinks open until 11pm depending on weather conditions. Holmes Lake (70th & Normal), Oak Lake Park (Charleston & Sun Valley), Peterson Park (4400 Southwood Drive), and Rudge Memorial Park (14th & Lake). Call 441-7847 to inquire about ice conditions.
- On-going **International Quilt Study Center:** Classic antique and contemporary art quilts. Monday-Friday, 9am-4pm. 207 Home Economics, 35th & Holdrege Streets, UNL East Campus. www.quiltstudy.org or 472-6549
- On-going **Iron Horse Park:** A tribute to Lincoln's railroad heritage. See C, B & Q Engine #710 and a water station. In the historic warehouse district. North 7th & "Q" Streets. www.downtownlincoln.org or 435-7496
- On-going **Kruger Collection of Miniature Interiors:** Lincolnite Eloise Andrews Kruger's collection. Focuses on miniature furnishings and decorative arts. Monday-Friday, 9am-5pm, or by appointment. Architecture Hall-West, Room #133, 10th & "R" Streets, UNL. www.unl.edu/krugercollection or 472-3560

- On-going **Lincoln Area Model Railroad Club and Museum:** Features train layouts and train memorabilia. Open/tours by appointment only - call 474-5663. Had been housed on second floor, Industrial Arts Building, State Fair Park. (Annual Spring Show is 2/17-18/07 in Ag Hall, State Fair Park. Admission is \$5-6. buzzmmr@alltel.net or 475-0600.) www.lamrcandm.org or 475-0600
- On-going **Lincoln City Libraries:** Main branch is Bennett Martin Public Library at 14th & "N" Streets. Seven branch libraries are located throughout the city. Resources are available free on-site to everyone. Free check-out is available to Lancaster County residents with a current library card. Free public access to the Internet with a library card. www.lincolnlibraries.org
- On-going **Lincoln Saline Wetland Nature Center:** Preserves rare saline wetlands and its ecosystem. Open to public. Walking trails and wildlife viewing blind to observe waterfowl. Wyoming Bridge, which serves as a viewing platform and footbridge, is a historic King Iron Bridge Company of Ohio bowstring-type bridge originally installed in Otoe County, NE. Located just east of Capitol Beach Lake; parking lot off of West Industrial Lake Drive. www.lpsnrd.org/doc/recreation/wetlands and www.lpsnrd.org/docs/majorprojects/WyomingBridge or 476-2729
- On-going **Lentz Center for Asian Culture:** Reveals traditional Asian civilizations. Focuses on the people and artists of Asia. The center is the only gallery solely devoted to Asian art in the state of Nebraska and works collaboratively with UNL to enhance educational programs on campus. \$2 suggested donation. Sunday, 1:30-4pm, Tuesday-Friday, 10am-5pm; Saturday, 11am-5pm. Hewitt Place, lower level, 1155 "Q" Street. www.unl.edu/lentz or 472-5841
- On-going **Lester F. Larsen Tractor Test and Power Museum:** Display of more than 40 historic tractors and agricultural implements. Tuesday-Friday, 9am-12noon and 1-4pm; Saturday, 10am-2pm; or by appointment. \$3 donation suggested. 35th & Fair, UNL East Campus. www.tractormuseum.unl.edu or 472-8389
- On-going **Live from the Mill with William Stibor:** Stop by or listen to arts topics live on NPR-affiliate KUCV-FM: 90.1, every Friday morning, 9-10am, The Mill, 800 "P" Street.
- On-going **Loft Gallery:** Third floor, East Campus Union, UNL East Campus. www.unl.edu
- On-going **National Museum of Roller Skating:** Only museum of its kind in the world! Captures the history and future of one of America's favorite sports and pastimes. World's largest collection of roller skates and memorabilia. Monday-Saturday, 9am-5pm or by appointment. First Friday at 12:15pm, the curator leads a free tour. 4730 South Street. www.rollerskatingmuseum.com or 483-7551, x16
- On-going **Nebraska Birding Trails:** "Bird watching is one of the fastest growing outdoor recreation pastimes in the United States." - Michael Forsberg in "On Ancient Wings: The Sandhill Cranes of North America." And according to ornithologist Paul Johnsgard, there are "400-plus bird species that make Nebraska one of the top birding spots in North America." Of the nearly 300 public-access birding sites in Nebraska, these are in and near Lincoln: Arbor Lake (three miles north on 27th), Spring Creek Prairie, Boosalis Park (north on 48th to the landfill area), Holmes Lake Park, Lincoln Saline Wetlands, Nine Mile Prairie, Oak Lake Park (take Sun Valley Boulevard to North 1st Street), Pioneers Park and Nature Center, Wilderness Park, and Wyuka Cemetery. www.nebraskabirdingtrails.com
- On-going **Nebraska Governor's Mansion:** This 1957 Georgian Colonial-style mansion is home of Nebraska's governor. Major renovation in 1998. Features a doll collection of the states' first ladies in their inaugural gowns. Many painting by Nebraska artists. 30 minute tours available; groups of 10 or more are requested to make reservations. Thursdays, 1-4pm. 1425 "H" Street. www.gov.nol.org/mansion or 471-3466
- On-going **Nebraska I-80 Bicentennial Sculptures:** Eight American artists were commissioned to create monumental outdoor sculptures to be placed at roadside rest areas to create a "455 mile sculpture garden" along Interstate-80 in Nebraska. This project was completed in 1976 as a lasting commemoration of America's Bicentennial. Sculptures near Lincoln: "Arrival" by Paul Von Ringelheim (Blue River eastbound, near Seward/Milford), "Crossing the Plains" by Bradford Graves (York westbound), and "The Memorial to the American Bandshell" by Richard Field (Platte River eastbound, near Omaha). For a map of all of the sculptures, see www.sheldonartgallery.org/education/i-80/works
- On-going **Nebraska State Capitol:** One of only four skyscraper capitols in the USA. Over 400 feet high! Built 1922-1932 on a pay-as-you-go basis for \$9.8 million. Designed by Bertram Grosvenor Goodhue in the Eclectic Gothic Revival style. Topped by "The Sower," a bronze statue by Lee Lawrie, which represents Nebraska's agricultural background. Also see "Lincoln" sculpture by Daniel Chester French. Much artwork and symbolism follow the theme set by Hartley Burr Alexander. A National Historic Landmark and considered one of the finest U.S. buildings. Tours on the hour (except noon): Sunday, 1-4pm; Monday-Friday, 9am-4pm; Saturday, 10am-4pm. 14th

- floor observation deck is open, weather permitting. Sunday, 1-4pm; Monday-Friday, 8am-5pm; Saturday, 10am-5pm. 1445 "K" Street. www.capitol.org or 471-0448
- On-going **Nebraska State Historical Society Headquarters - Library & Archives:** The photographs, documents, moving images, publications, and other resources can help you find out how to fix up your old house or uncover your old relatives. Hours vary, generally: Tuesday, 1-4pm; Wednesday-Friday, 9:30am-12noon and 1-4pm; and Saturday (limited services), 8am-5pm. 1500 "R" Street. Please call ahead to use the library and archives! www.nebraskahistory.org or 471-3470 or 1-800-833-6747
- On-going **Nebraska State Historical Society - Museum of Nebraska History:** Artifacts from the many people and cultures making Nebraska their home. \$2 donation encouraged. Sunday, 1-4:30pm, Tuesday-Friday, 9am-4:30pm, and Saturday, 1-4:30pm. 15th & "P" Streets. www.nebraskahistory.org or 471-4754 or 1-800-833-6747
- On-going **Nebraska Statewide Arboretum:** The Nebraska Statewide Arboretum exists to continue Nebraska's rich tree-planting heritage, to help protect native plant communities, and for members to associate with others who share the same passion for plants. An arboretum is a place where trees, shrubs, and other plants are cultivated for scientific and educational purposes. Nebraska has over 100 arboreums. The following list is for Lincoln. Accredited Sites with planned and curated collections: Alice Abel Arboreum (5000 St. Paul), Lincoln Regional Center Arboretum (Van Dorn & Folsom), Prairie Pines Arboretum, State Fair Park Arboretum (17th & Holdrege), UNL Botanical Garden & Arboretum (both campuses), and Wyuka Cemetery (3600 "O"). Historic landmarks with a planned landscape of historic or cultural significance to Nebraska: Nebraska State Capitol (1445 "K") and Pioneers Park Nature Center (3201 South Coddington). Landscape Stewards have a public landscape demonstrating commitment to excellence in design, plant diversity, and maintenance: Joshua C. Turner Arboretum (3800 South 48th), Lincoln Children's Zoo & Botanical Garden (27th & "B"), Lower Platte South NRD Arboretum (3125 Portia), South Ridge Village (29th & Pine Lake Road), and Taylor Park (2 blocks south of 66th & "O"). www.arboretum.unl.edu or 472-2971
- On-going **Nine Mile Prairie:** One of few remaining native tallgrass prairies in the county and one of the largest tracts of tallgrass prairie in the Midwest. A classic site of early research by biologists such as John E. Weaver, the father of grassland ecology. Named because it is five miles west (& four miles north) of the UNL Downtown campus. See federally-threatened prairie white fringed orchid and rare regal fritillary butterfly. On West Fletcher & North 48th Street. www.snrs.unl.edu/wedin/nefieldsites/NineMile/nine_mile_prairie
- On-going **Pioneers Park:** A 900-acre park with trails, picnic areas, Lincoln's oldest 18-hole golf course (cost), Pinewood Bowl amphitheatre, native animals (bison, elk, deer). Summer, dawn-11pm; Halloween-Easter, dawn-dusk; sled run, dawn-midnight as weather permits. 3201 South Coddington Avenue; 2 miles west on West Van Dorn Street at about South Coddington and West Calvert. www.lincoln.ne.gov, keyword: parks or 441-7847
- On-going **Pioneers Park Nature Center:** Prairie, woodland, and wetland habitats. Prairie, herb, and bird gardens. Over eight miles of hiking trails. Two interpretive buildings have small animal (non-releaseable birds of prey, turtles, snakes, small animals) and hands-on exhibits. Outdoor animal exhibits include bison, elk and deer herds, and non-releaseable raptors. Electric carts are available for the use of those who experience difficulty walking. Sunday, 12noon-5pm; Monday-Saturday, 8:30am-5pm. West end of Pioneers Park, 3201 South Coddington Avenue, at about South Coddington and West Calvert. www.lincoln.ne.gov, keyword: nature or educate or 441-7895
- On-going **Robert Hillestad Textiles Gallery:** Textiles from art to apparel. Showcases intriguing, artful fashion, quilts, and other types of fiber art, often with a historical bent. Monday-Friday, 9am-4pm. Home Economics Building, 2nd floor, 35th & Holdrege, UNL East Campus. The Gallery will be moving to its new location in 2008. www.textilegallery.unl.edu, www.quiltstudy.org or 472-2911
- On-going **Roller skating:** Peter Pan Park (3250 "X") and Tierra Park (27th & Tierra). www.lincoln.ne.gov, keyword: parks or 441-7847
- On-going: **Rotunda Gallery:** Primarily displays artwork from UNL students and student organizations. Monday-Friday, 9am-5pm, first floor, Nebraska Union, 14th & "R" Streets, UNL City Campus. www.unl.edu or 472-2454
- On-going **Schleich Red Wing Pottery Museum:** More than 5,000 pieces of Red Wing pottery. Open by appointment only. 3901 Normal Boulevard, Suite 200. 489-6508
- On-going **Sheldon Memorial Art Gallery & Sculpture Garden:** This comprehensive collection of 20th-century American art has an exhibition program of approximately 20 exhibitions per year. Building designed by Philip Johnson. Guided tours are available for groups of all sizes, Tuesday through

- Sunday, during Museum hours by scheduling two weeks in advance at 472-2461. The campus-wide Sculpture Garden features more than 30 pieces by key American artists of the 20th & 21st centuries. Donations encouraged. Sunday, 12-5pm; Tuesday-Thursday, 10am-5pm; Friday, 10am-8pm; Saturday, 10am-5pm. 12th & "R" Streets, UNL www.sheldonartgallery.org, www.sheldon.unl.edu, or 472-2461
- On-going **Sledding:** Pioneers Park ramp is open 7am-sundown; when snow cover permits the area is lighted and open until 12midnight. Holmes Lake Dam is also popular.
- On-going **Smith Collection Museum, the Museum of American Speed:** Holds the world's largest collection of vintage and exotic racing engines, more than 5,000 tin toy race cars, more that 600 pedal cars. Open to public during summer and most of fall. Small group tours can be scheduled by appointment. 340 Victory Lane. www.smithcollection.com or 416-4110
- On-going **Sunken Gardens:** The only Nebraska garden listed in the "300 Best Gardens to Visit in the United States and National Geographic Guide to Public Gardens." South 27th & Capitol Parkway. www.lincoln.ne.gov, keyword: sunken or 441-7895
- On-going **Tennis:** 24 city-managed, 24 UNL City campus, and 6 UNL East Campus courts.
- On-going **Torn Notebook:** Sculpture by Claes Oldenburg and Coosje van Bruggen in Madden Garden, 12th & "Q" Streets, UNL City Campus. Made of stainless steel, steel, aluminum, and painted with polyurethane enamel. Commissioned March 1995 by the Sheldon Memorial Art Gallery. Installed August 20, 1996. Inaugurated September 6, 1996. Included among Oldenburg and van Bruggen's colossal outdoor sculptures are: Lipstick at Yale, New Haven, CT; Clothespin in Philadelphia, PA; Flashlight, University of Nevada, Las Vegas, NV; Split Button, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA; Buried Bicycle, Paris, France; Binoculars, Venice, CA; Shuttlecocks, Kansas City, MO; Trowel 1, Otterlo, The Netherlands; Match Cover, Barcelona, Spain; Crusoe Umbrella, Des Moines, IA; Batcolumn, Chicago, IL; Dropped Bowl, with Scattered Slices and Peels, Miami, FL; Free Stamp, Cleveland, OH; Spoon Bridge and Cherry, Minneapolis, MN; and Bottle of Notes, Middlesborough, England. www.oldenburgvanbruggen.com and www.oldenburgvanbruggen.com/tornnotebook
- On-going **UNL Botanical Gardens & Arboretum:** Located on City (14th & "R") and East (38th & Holdrege) Campuses. Individual garden brochures are available on-line. Daily from dawn to dusk. www.bga.unl.edu or 472-2679
- On-going **UNL Dairy Store:** Tours available Monday-Friday, 10am-4:30pm by calling 472-2951. And purchase a one-of-a-kind ice cream flavor! www.dairystore.unl.edu or 472-2828
- On-going **Veterans Memorial Garden:** Began in June 1989, with the traveling Vietnam Memorial Wall. Now honors the sacrifices of all Veterans. Only (known) K-9 Memorial in the United States. Antelope Park, 31st & "A" Streets. www.lincoln.ne.gov, keyword: parks or 441-7847
- On-going **Volunteer:** Lead. Inspire. Change the World. AGAIN. Call LAAA's RSVP at 441-6103 for information on opportunities and benefits.
- On-going **Whitehead Saline Wetland:** Preserves rare saline wetlands and its ecosystem. Open to public. Named an Important Bird Area (IBA) with green heron, blue winged teal, killdeer, marsh wrens, and other birds. Located south of I-80 and east of North 27th Street. www.lpsnrd.org/doc/recreation/wetlands or 476-2729
- On-going **Wilderness Park:** Lincoln's largest park. 22 miles of trails for hiking, biking, and horses. South 1st & Van Dorn to South 27th & Saltillo Road. www.lincoln.ne.gov, keyword: parks or 441-7847
- On-going **Wyuka Cemetery:** Established by the Nebraska Legislature in 1869. Self-guided tour books that follow a trail of more than 40 tour stops are available from the Cemetery Office. Tours available by appointment. Monday-Friday, 8am-5pm; Saturday, 8am-12noon. 3600 "O" Street. www.wyuka.com or 474-3600
- On-going **DENTON: Spring Creek Prairie Audubon Center:** Includes 639 acres of rare native tallgrass prairie uplands. Walking trails, birds, ancient bur oak woodlands, and historic wagon ruts from the Nebraska City/Fort Kearny Cutoff to the Oregon Trail. Bird list of 190 species is available. Straw-bale constructed nature center. Monday-Friday, 9am-5pm; call for weekend hours. Donations welcome. 11700 SouthWest 100th Street; from Denton go south for 3 miles on Southwest 98th Street. www.springcreekprairie.org or 797-2301
- On-going **OMAHA: Joslyn Art Museum:** Free admission for all ages on Saturday, 10am-12noon. The Museum is also open Sunday, 12noon-4pm; Monday, closed; Tuesday-Saturday, 10am-4pm. Usual admission is \$7 for adults and \$5 for seniors. 2200 Dodge Street in Omaha. www.joslyn.org or 402-342-3300

Check out all the Tickets, Tours, & Events available to those in the ActivAge!

See:

- ~ Prime Time supplement and Neighborhood Extra in the Lincoln Journal Star
- ~ City of Lincoln website at www.lincoln.ne.gov, enter keyword: aging, choose "Activities & Classes" from the sidebar on the left, click on "Tickets" or "Tours" or "Events" (FREE in Lincoln is about page 5 of "Tickets") (updated at the beginning of each month; need Adobe Acrobat Reader)
- ~ Seniors Foundation website at www.seniorsfoundation.gov
- ~ "Living Well," the Lincoln Area Agency on Aging's magazine published in January, April, July, and October; call 402-441-7022 to be on the mailing list (or read it on the City of Lincoln website at www.lincoln.ne.gov, enter keyword: aging, click on "Living Well Magazine," click on the desired issue)

Or call 402-441-7158 for the most current lists of Tickets, Tours, & Events!

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